



PATENT

CASE NO.

21556YP

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re application of: YANG ET AL.  
Serial No. 10/586,765  
Filed July 20, 2006  
Group Art Unit 1625  
Examiner N. Rahmani  
For: 2, 6-DISUBSTITUTED PIPERIDINES AS MODULATORS OF CHEMOKINE RECEPTOR ACTIVITY

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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## CLAIMS AS AMENDED

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Total Claims	* <u>29</u>	-	** <u>35</u> =	<u>0</u> X	\$50	= <u>0.00</u>
Independent Claims	* <u>2</u>	-	*** <u>3</u> =	<u>0</u> X	\$210	= <u>0.00</u>
Multiple Dependent Claims					\$370 ****	= <u>          </u>
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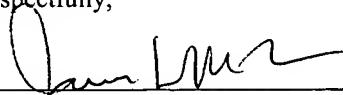
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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed October 10, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

The Remarks begin on page 15 of this paper.

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